

COMMUNITY ASSISTANCE NETWORK
Children, Family & Futures

HIGH DESERT PARTNERSHIP FOR KIDS

MINUTES

February 13, 2006
DCS Victorville
15400 Ramona Ave
Victorville, CA

In Attendance:

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1. Welcome and Introductions

- Everyone was welcomed and self-introductions were made.

2. Additions/Deletions to Agenda

- None

3. Approval of January Minutes

4. Presentation: Cris Venegas, Dept. of Public Health – “Child Passenger Safety Week”

- See attachment

5. Presentation: Cindy Blum, Dept. of Children’s Services; La Tanya Green, Morongo Basin Counseling – “Wraparound Program”

- See attachment

6. Children’s Network Report – Susan Melanson

- Children’s Network 2005 annual report is available. Susan asked everyone to check out the two new Appendixes in the back from the Sheriffs Dept. and the District Attorney.
- Susan promoted the 8th Annual “Shine a Light on Child Abuse” breakfast on March 23rd. It’s from 7:30 – 9:00 am at the Ontario Doubletree (222 N. Vineyard, Ontario). She also encouraged everyone to purchase a ticket for the event – tickets are \$10.00.
- Susan made an announcement about “Happiest Baby and Toddler on the Block” Conference at Loma Linda on May 5. For more information or reservations, please call (909) 387-8966

7. First 5 San Bernardino Report – Mary Jaquish

- Mary passed out a packet full of funding information.
- Mary announced a Community Forum for the High Desert Area at the Desert Mountain SELPA. It will be on March 13th at 12pm and 5pm, and she encouraged everyone to stop by.
- Mary passed out the 2005 First 5 San Bernardino Annual Report and discussed some of the highlights of the past year.

8. Roundtable/Discussion

Melissa German of San Bernardino County Department of Public Health

- Dept of Public Health is starting to collect the Sex Surveys that have been going around to teenagers in the county.

Next Meeting Date: March 13, 2006
Desert Mountain Educational Service Center
17800 Outer Highway 18
Apple Valley, CA

Respectfully Submitted,
Denise McKinney, Children’s Network
High Desert Partnership for Kids Recording Secretary
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